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E.O. 11652: XGDS-W
TAGS: PFOR, IZ, US
SUBJECT: IMPROVING RELATIONS WITH IRAQ: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

REF: BAGHAD 792 AND STATE 106190 (TOSEC 40148)

FOR NEA FROM HABIB AND ATHERTON

1. WE THINK TO SEND TWO PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGES, AS BAGHDAD HAS SUGGESTED, WOULD BE OVERLOADING THE CIRCUIT. FURTHER-MORE, WE SEE NO PROBLEM IN HAVING PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE ADDRESSED TO BAKR AS CHIEF OF STATE. IF HABIB SEES SADDAM HUSSEIN, IT DOES NOT STRIKE US AS A PROBLEM FOR HIM TO DELIVER TO HUSSEIN A MESSAGE ADDRESSED TO PRESIDENT BAKR. IF HE DOES NOT SEE EITHER BAKR OR HUSSEIN HE SHOULD PRSSUMABLY DELIVER MESSAGE THROUGH FOREING MINISTRY.
2. TEXT OF MESSAGE PROPOSED IN STATE REFTEL LOOKS GOOD TO US. YOU SHOULD THEREFORE HAVE IT PREPARED AS MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT CARTER TO PRESIDENT BAKR AND SEEK WHITE HOUSE CLEARANCE URGENTLY SO THAT IF CAN BE CABLED TO TEHRAN FOR HABIB TO CARRY WITH HIM TO BAGHDAD IF IRAQIS APPROVE HIS TRIP.

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